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Donation of Passenger Vans to Community-Based Homeless Services Organizations

The County of Los Angeles (County) regularly identifies vehicles as surplus property in excess of the respective County department's needs. In such situations, the County has the option to donate such surplus property to appropriate community-based organizations. The Internal Services Department (ISD) has identified two passenger vans to be donated to appropriate community-based organizations that provide services to people experiencing homelessness in the County.

SELAH Neighborhood Homeless Coalition (SELAH) was founded on May 5, 2017, with the goal of taking an active, compassionate, and solutions-oriented approach to helping its neighbors. SELAH has convened numerous neighborhood partners to commit to being part of the County's homelessness crisis. Volunteers of America Los Angeles (VOALA), founded in 1896, is a non-profit human services organization committed to serving people in need, strengthening, and building communities. VOALA aims to transform the lives of the most vulnerable, including individuals and families experiencing

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homelessness. The worthy missions of both SELAH and VOALA require the transportation of individuals to facilitate the delivery of essential services to individuals and families experiencing homelessness. The County's donation of the vehicles will assist SELAH and VOALA in continuing their respective missions and providing critical services to the community.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors:

1. Declare the following vehicles as surplus property excess to (Internal Services Department) ISD needs:
 - a. 2000 Ford E350 15-Passenger Van, Vehicle Identification Number 1FBNE31L3YHB72140; and
 - b. 2001 Dodge Ram 15-Passenger, Vehicle Identification Number 2B5WB35Y91K555185.
2. Authorize the Acting Director of ISD, or his designee, to execute the Donation Agreement with SELAH and VOALA. The transfer of title will be processed by ISD.

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